



# APD NEWS

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***Media Advisory***

**Austin Police Department partners with community leaders to call on volunteers  
for the "Urban Youth Initiative"**

The Austin Police Department along with Community leaders will request a call for action to help expand and recruit volunteers for a youth program in the Austin community known as the "Urban Youth Initiative." A news conference will be hosted at 11 a.m. on Friday, Oct. 15, 2010 at Kealing Middle School. The initiative stems from Boy Scouts of America here in Central Texas which focuses on improving family lives of youth who are at risk in our community.

**"Urban Youth Initiative"**

**Friday, October 15, 2010**

**11 a.m.**

**Kealing Middle School,  
1607 Pennsylvania Avenue**

Research shows that 91% of young men in Scouts at least five years graduate from high school and have a much greater chance of leading positive lives. The programs in Scouting's Urban Youth Initiative are already serving more than 1,000 young people. To learn more about the "Urban Youth Initiative" and how to become a volunteer visit [www.urbanscouting.org](http://www.urbanscouting.org).

**Media Advisory:** Media please call APD PIO if you plan to attend.

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